From:
 Stedman, Deana (FAA)

 To:
 Masahiko Ikuta/?? ??

 Cc:
 Happenny, Stephen (FAA)

Subject: RE: Exemption Petition for 14 CFR 25.841(a)(2)(i) & (a)(3) (ref. MJT-TC-0804)

Date: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 7:17:00 AM

Thank you very much for your reply. The FAA will close out MITAC's exemption request.

Sincerely,

Deana M. Stedman Aviation Safety Technical Writer/Editor, AIR-612

From: Masahiko Ikuta/生田 雅彦 <masahiko.ikuta.cj@mhi.com>

Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 4:41 AM

To: Stedman, Deana (FAA) <Deana.Stedman@faa.gov> **Cc:** Happenny, Stephen (FAA) <Stephen.Happenny@faa.gov>

Subject: RE: Exemption Petition for 14 CFR 25.841(a)(2)(i) & (a)(3) (ref. MJT-TC-0804)

Dear Deana-san and Stephen-san,

Thank you for contacting.

Andrew Telesca has moved out of the company, and I succeeded his position as head of Certification at Mitsubishi Aircraft Corporation since mid 2020.

I have read your letter to Andrew-san about the needs of additional data to process MITAC's exemption request.

In your letter, you mentioned about the resuming of flight test operations on the MRJ-200 airplane (last paragraph of page1). This information is not true.

After the stopping of our flight test program due to COVID-19 pandemic in early 2020, without resuming the test, our company had made decision to pause developing the MRJ-200 for the next three years. This decision was made in October 2020. All flight test vehicles were long-term-stored in warehouse, and large numbers of MTIAC employees moved on to start new jobs. The development has been stopped.

Because there is no plan to re-start the program as of now, there is no chance of acquiring new data/information to progress this exemption request.

I believe you can close out this exemption request now. I apologize if our late response to you has caused any trouble to you.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to ask me.

Best Regards,

Masahiko IKUTA

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Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 1:19 AM

To: Masahiko Ikuta/生田 雅彦 < masahiko.ikuta.cj@mhi.com > Cc: Happenny, Stephen (FAA) < Stephen.Happenny@faa.gov >

Subject: FW: Exemption Petition for 14 CFR 25.841(a)(2)(i) & (a)(3) (ref. MJT-TC-0804)

Importance: High

Hello Masahiko Ikuta,

We e-mailed a letter to Andrew Telesca this morning but it could not be delivered.

The FAA needs additional data in order to process MITAC's exemption request from 14 CFR 25.841(a)(2) & (3) for the MRJ-200.

Please review the attached letter. Thank you very much.

Deana M. Stedman Aviation Safety Technical Writer/Editor, AIR-612

From: Stedman, Deana (FAA)

Sent: Monday, September 27, 2021 7:55 AM **To:** andrew_telesca@mitsubishiaircraft.com

Cc: Happenny, Stephen (FAA) < Stephen. Happenny@faa.gov >

Subject: Exemption Petition for 14 CFR 25.841(a)(2)(i) & (a)(3) (ref. MJT-TC-0804)

Importance: High

Hello Mr. Telesca,

Please see attached letter concerning MITAC's 2019 petition for exemption from 14 CFR 25.841(a)(2) (i) and (a)(3).

Thank you,

Deana M. Stedman Aviation Safety Technical Writer/Editor, AIR-612

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